

October Monthly Webinar Assessment & Accountability

Q&A

Where is the bi-weekly newsletter posted?

This is located on Assessment's Resource Center webpage. It is located top in Assessment Updates section. http://sde.idaho.gov/assessment/resource-center.html

Do you have the PowerPoint posted so I can print it?

The PowerPoint is now available to print. It is located in the Assessment's Resource Center webpage: http://sde.idaho.gov/assessment/resource-center.html

Please clarify, if the IEP team determines appropriate, the Accuplacer can be used in lieu of the SAT to meet the graduation requirement?

The Accuplacer can be taken in place of the SAT or ACT to meet the graduation requirement. It is only applicable for students who are currently on an IEP and their IEP team deems this assessment as good fit for the student. SDE aspires all students to take the SAT or ACT. There has been an improvement for the list of accommodations that will allow a student to receive a reportable score.

Where is the best place for training in interim block assessments?

A webinar was offered on October 11, 2017. If you were not able to attend it has been posted here under the training tab. http://www.sde.idaho.gov/assessment/isat-cas/

Counselors are concerned with bulk registration that students will no long get to answer survey questions, enter college information, etc. How will this now occur?

Answer: First, we recognize the change of this registration dynamic for many districts. College Board will be hosting several webinars on the changes to registration, student answer sheets, and test materials starting in early November. We will invite DTC's, and they plan to pre-record a DTC webinar as well. From what I have gathered, the student answer sheet is no longer separate from the questionnaire, and there will be time and the ability to conduct a pre-admin session with students to collect college score sends etc. We will ensure we ask them about all options around this, including the potential for students doing this online prior to the test date as well.

Will there any discrepancy review on the Legacy IRI?

Due to incorporating the IRI scores into the Test Results file on ISEE, the amount of discrepancies are very low. If there were any, we would contact you to update your file and re-submit. The ISEE upload is not due until 10/16/17.

When and where can I get a copy of the PowerPoint slides?

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